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BY ECF

The Honorable Denise L. Cote
United States District Judge
500 Pearl Street, Room 1910
New York, NY 10007

Granted.

Denise Cote
July 22, 2025

Re: *Skillz Platform Inc. v. Papaya Gaming, Ltd. and Papaya Gaming, Inc.,*
No. 1:24-cv-01646-DLC (S.D.N.Y.)

Dear Judge Cote:

Pursuant to Rule 8.B of the Court's Individual Practices in Civil Cases, we write on behalf of Plaintiff and Counterclaim-Defendant Skillz Platform Inc. ("Skillz") concerning filing under seal Skillz's forthcoming Summary Judgment Oppositions, *Daubert* Oppositions, and attached Declarations and Exhibits.

Specifically, Skillz's Opposition to Papaya's Motion for Summary Judgment on Skillz's Claims, 56.1 Response and Counterstatement, Declaration(s), and attached Exhibits contain and refer to material designated by the parties as Highly Confidential-Attorney's Eyes Only under the parties' joint and stipulated Protective Order (ECF No. 039).

Skillz's Opposition to Papaya's Motion for Summary Judgment on Papaya's Counterclaims, 56.1 Response and Counterstatement, Declaration, and attached Exhibits contain and refer to material designated by the parties as Highly Confidential-Attorney's Eyes Only under the Protective Order.

Skillz's James Bergman *Daubert* Opposition, Declaration, and attached Exhibits contain and refer to material designated by the parties as Highly Confidential-Attorney's Eyes Only under the Protective Order.

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Skillz's Andreas Groehn *Daubert* Opposition, Declaration, and attached Exhibits contain and refer to material designated by the parties as Highly Confidential-Attorney's Eyes Only under the Protective Order.

Skillz's Jose Zagal *Daubert* Opposition, Declaration, and attached Exhibits contain and refer to material designated by the parties as Highly Confidential-Attorney's Eyes Only under the Protective Order.

Accordingly, Skillz hereby requests that it be permitted to submit full versions of its forthcoming Oppositions to Summary Judgment, *Daubert* Oppositions, and attached Declarations and Exhibits under seal, pending the Court's ruling on the parties' forthcoming sealing motions; and to file public versions redacting certain portions of the Motions and Declarations.

Thank you for Your Honor's consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Craig Carpenito
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Cc: All counsel of record (by ECF)